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## OFFICERS AND SCHOOLS IN THE NEWS

TRANSCAUCASUS MILITARY DISTRICT PERSONNEL -- Bakinskiy Babochiy, No 105,  
31 May 49

The following military leaders signed an article commemorating the 25th anniversary of the Makhikhevan ASSR: General of the Army Antonov, Acting Commander, Transcaucasus Military District; Guards General-polkovnik Kuzakov, Chief of Staff, Transcaucasus Military District /Kuzakov identified previously as Guards General-polkovnik M. Kazakov/; General-major Kolesnikov, Deputy Commander of the Transcaucasus Military District for the Political Section; and Colonel Maysya, Deputy Chief of the Political Administration.

OFFICER WRITES ON PHYSICAL TRAINING -- Sovetskaya Sibir', No 105, 29 May 49

General-mayor of Technical Troops A. Kotyukov, in an article, "Physical Training of Students," published in this newspaper, describes physical training of students at the Novosibirsk Institute of Engineers of Military Transport and their achievements in sport contests.

BULGARIA AWARDS MEDALS TO SOVIET SOLDIERS -- Pravda Vostoka, No 181, 11 Sep 48

The Bulgarian Government awarded "Great Patriotic War 1944 - 1945" medals to several thousand soldiers, officers, and generals of the Third Ukrainian Front on 8 September in the Bulgarian Embassy in Moscow. General-major I. M. Sarayev, chief of the Foreign Relations Division of the Ministry of the Armed Forces USSR, acted for the Bulgarian Government in presenting the awards.

MYD SCHOOL ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS -- Kazakhstanskaya Pravda, No 193, 28 Sep 48

The Alma-Ata Military School of MVD Troops continues to recruit students for the first-year course. The school trains officers for MVD frontier troops. Male citizens, 18 - 22 years old, who have completed 8 - 10 grades of secondary school, are eligible for the 3-year course.

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Entrance examinations will be held in Russian language, literature, and mathematics. Address of the school: Alma-Ata Military School of MVD Troops, 19th Postal Department, Alma-Ata.

NAVAL OFFICERS STUDY MARXISM-LENINISM -- Sovetskaya Estoniya, No 223, 19 Sep 48

The Evening University of Marxism-Leninism of the Tallir Naval Officers' Club is enrolling students for the 1948-49 school year. The following subjects are included in the course: USSR History, VKP(b) History, Dialectical and Historical Materialism, Political Economy, USSR Foreign Policy and Contemporary International Relations, and Military History and Science of the Soviet Army.

The 2-year course begins on 1 October. Classes are held twice a week from 1900 to 2300. Officers who have completed secondary education (general or special) are eligible.

Applicants must file a report through proper channels giving the following information: military rank, full name, party membership, military appointment, education, and mailing address of present post. The report, together with comments of the commanding officer, is sent through the Political Division to the Admissions Commission (Political Administration of the Navy).

University students are relieved of regular Marxist-Leninist training included in their military studies and are allowed two free evenings a week for independent-study projects assigned by the university.

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